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Belief, that sacred faculty which prompts the decisions of our will, and knits into harmonious working all the compacted energies of our being, is not for ourselves, but for humanity.—W. K. Clifford.

## GETTING OUT THE CANDIDATES

Those melancholy political ravens whose dire forebodings of disaster to Hawaii from the present situation are evoked from more than one street-corner will get little satisfaction from the statement that Honolulu citizens of the highest character and standing are coming forward to present themselves for office this fall.

The statement is on the authority of the businessmen's committee named to investigate the situation and plan definite action.

Mr. J. M. Dowsett expressed the committee's experience this morning when he said:

"It looks now as if the local question of men for local offices will be the easiest to solve. The committee is finding no trouble in getting able and responsible men who will become candidates if they are called upon to do so."

Emphatically these able and responsible men are called upon to do so. The last Republican convention may not have made perfect nominations. But no impartial judge will deny that through and through the men chosen by this convention were the best of those available. The plain truth is that in some cases the convention was left little discretion, little choice.

The good men did not come out for office. The good men, plenty of them, sat in the convention, but they sat as delegates, and they would not consent to become candidates.

The signs of the times point clearly and happily to a campaign this fall in which the voters will have an opportunity to cast their ballots for men of unquestionable ability, known integrity, with a keen desire to give of their ability for the good of the community and with a willingness to go before the people on the simple platform of efficiency.

## THE TWO COLONELS

Harper's Weekly contains an article on "The Two Colonels" that has the merit of expressiveness at least. It contains enough of vitriol to adulterate the humor in a way enjoyable to all but the two colonels themselves. Says Col. Harvey's palladium.

"Both Colonels carry a spear that knows no brother when their brother will not bend his neck for them to step on. Both men are the brothers of all humanity when there is a step upward to be made and humanity can be used for their selfish purposes. Both men have shouted their delight to serve the people, and both men have made the people serve them for their own profit. John B. Stanchfield's characterization of Colonel Bryan in the Democratic convention as a 'selfish, money-grabbing, favor-seeking, office-chasing, publicity-hunting marplot'—perhaps the most savage attack ever delivered in a national convention—though severe, is none too harsh. Colonel Bryan has gone forward resistlessly to advance his own fortunes without regard for the injury he inflicted upon others. He has not hesitated to avail himself of the services of any man who could be of use to him; he has with even less hesitation cast over former friends when he believed they could no longer help him. Like his fellow-warrior, his conscience quickened when virtue paid larger profits than vice. Like Colonel Roosevelt, Colonel Bryan has served Mammon as long as Mammon drew the largest checks or controlled the most votes, and, like Colonel Roosevelt, Colonel Bryan has been the servant of righteousness when righteousness marshaled fifty-one per cent of the campaign contributions or the voters. When Colonel Bryan needed Tammany support and Tammany money, Tammany was the people; when Colonel Bryan was indulging in his

favorite occupation of office-chasing, Thomas Fortune Ryan was a Democrat in good standing and there was no taint in accepting his checks; when Colonel Roosevelt saw New York slipping out of his hands he could without danger to his immaculate righteousness beg Mr. Harriman to raise a huge fund to save him from destruction; when money was needed Colonel Roosevelt could cajole, threaten, and make promises to the trusts, and when the campaign was over and the people had once more to be caressed and the trusts could with safety be cursed, Harriman and the rest of those who had come forward to aid him were kicked all over the place."

## THIRD PARTY PRECEDENTS

Roosevelt will be shattering more than one political tradition if the Progressive movement this year should win. It is certainly significant of American voting that no "third party" movement has been successful, though for nearly a hundred years third parties have been coming to the front with new doctrines, new methods and new personalities.

Political writers generally credit the anti-Masonic party of 1832 with being the first "third party." Its inception took place in 1826, and the first national gathering convened in Philadelphia in 1830. A year later William Wint of Virginia was nominated for president, but when the election took place he secured only seven electoral votes while Jackson with 219 swept the field.

Eight years later the Liberal party made its appearance, nominating a presidential candidate in 1840 and 1844, and signaling the entrance of the anti-slavery movement into national politics. The Liberal party did not win, though its effect in 1844 threw the election to Polk and Democracy.

In 1848 and 1852 the Abolitionists and Free Democrats tried to swing a national election unsuccessfully and in 1856 the famous "Know-Nothings," formed to oppose Roman Catholicism, entered the arena, nominating ex-President Fillmore. Fillmore made a good race, getting more votes than any other third-party candidate in United States history except James B. Weaver in 1892.

The Constitutional Union party was formed in 1860, but Lincoln won by 180 votes to 72 for Breckenridge, twelve for Douglas, and thirty-nine for Bell, the third-party nominee.

In 1872 the Temperance party and in 1876 the Greenbackers tried to dominate, but fruitlessly; and the Greenbackers continued active until after the campaign of 1884, when Ben Butler was nominated and lost. The Greenback vote, however, kept Hancock from the presidency and let Garfield in.

The Union Labor party of 1888 and the People's party or Populists of 1892 were also unsuccessful. The latter fused with Democracy on Bryan in 1896, though rejecting Sewall and putting up Tom Watson for vice-president.

In some quarters the Social Democrat organization is regarded as a third party. It is worthy of mention that while this party polled but 87,000 votes in 1900, in 1908, with Debs still leading it, the Socialists secured 420,000 votes.

All the precedents are thus against the success of a third party, but Roosevelt does not seem to fear precedent in the least.

Disgruntled local Democrats are trying to get a statement from L. L. McCandless as to whether he is a Jarrett or an anti-Jarrett man. Under the circumstances McCandless would be excused if he pleaded the legal doctrine of refusing to answer a question that might incriminate himself.

A disgraceful chapter in New York's court history closes with the failure of the attempt to free the degenerate Harry Thaw from an insane asylum. But how long before another chapter will open?

San Francisco is beginning a systematic development of transportation resources for the opening of the Panama canal. Hawaii can well afford to keep the "canal date" steadily in mind.

So far none of the Hawaiian suffragettes have followed the example of the eminent Mrs. Pankhurst in starving themselves as a campaign argument.

Supervisor Low must have been reading up on that poem of our youth beginning, "The boy stood on the burning deck."

The term "sweet secrecy" was not coined for Mr. Hannam of the Western Sugar Refining Company.

Too bad that Sherlock Holmes walked off the stage before the day of the dictagraph.

Well, we all seem agreed that the poor old Dutch standard must go.

## PERSONALITIES

DANIEL TWEEDIE, representative of a San Francisco paper, left for the Coast on the S. S. Sierra.

MRS. R. E. LANGTON, mother of Editor Langton of the Paradise of the Pacific, was a passenger in the Sierra for San Francisco.

MISSER PEARL and Virginia Wade and Miss Augusta Rieff left last week for Honolulu, to be gone several weeks.—Sacramento Bee.

E. H. LEWIS and wife, formerly of this city but now of Honolulu, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Haslam of the Homestead—Stockton (Cal.) Independent.

JOSEPH O'DOWDA left for San Francisco, in the Sierra, after a stay of three months. He is a brother of Tom O'Dowda of Ewa, the premier sugar boiler of the Territory.

GEORGE FREELAND, the Honolulu hotel man; H. H. Bell, the Fresno capitalist, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Granz, Miss C. Granz and Mrs. S. Gilbert, all of Fresno, have rooms at the Stewart—San Francisco Examiner.

DR. FRED M. STEEN of Honolulu, a graduate of the American School of Osteopathy, is a visitor to Madera. Attracted to Madera by the reports of its progress, it is probable that he will locate here.—Madera (Cal.) Tribune.

WALTER G. SMITH was the guest of honor at an informal dinner given by W. L. Howard at his home in Beretania street yesterday evening, the other guests being John M. Martin, Peter Tosh, R. O. Matheson, A. P. Taylor and D. Logan.

JOSEPH E. WISEMAN, who has just returned to Honolulu after a quarter of a century's absence, was one of the pioneers here of professional real estate agents. He was also a leader in modern advertising methods. His office in Merchant street was one of the local institutions.

MISS GRACE ELIZABETH ALLEN, daughter of Mrs. Charles W. Allen of Oneonta Park, has returned from a year's stay in the Hawaiian Islands. Miss Allen will remain until the middle of August, when she will sail for Berlin, where she will remain several months. She will be at home to friends Tuesdays and Fridays at No. 1839 Fremont avenue, Oneonta Park—Los Angeles Times.

## DEFERS ACTION ON SCHOOL DESK BIDS

Bids on the contract to supply about 2000 school desks to the Territory were opened at noon today at the meeting of the Oahu Loan Fund Commission, but action was deferred until 10 o'clock next Monday morning, when the bidders will be expected to exhibit specimens of the desks they seek to install in the public schools. That meeting will be held at the Loan Fund Commission engineer's office in the Young Hotel building.

Of the bids opened this morning, the ones which will be considered are as follows: Hawaiian News Company, Peabody desks, \$2955.50; Office Supply Company, Acme desks, \$2314.65, and A. B. Arleigh, Nonoise desk, \$2,339.60. The tender of the Wall, Nichols Company was rejected because of the bidder's failure to send a certified check as required by law, to accompany the bid.

The commission authorized the engineer to inform J. H. Wilson, upon that person's return from the mainland, that it would agree to accept the fencing along the old right-of-way of the Oahu belt road, on section 1, as proper material for the new route, and that he may proceed to purchase the fencing from the Kahuku Pineapple Company and move it to the new right-of-way.

## TRY IT ON HERE.

The city out of Portland, Me., is so conspicuously marked as public property that it cannot be used with impunity for joy riding.—Exchange.

Photo-Engraving of highest grade can be secured from the Star-Bulletin people by the Star-Bulletin.

## LITTLE INTERVIEWS

JOSEPH E. WISEMAN—Much change in twenty-five years? Why, I hardly know how to find myself in Honolulu today. The change is simply marvelous.

JARED G. SMITH—Central Kona has had good rains the first three or four nights of this week, which were much needed and will be of great benefit to all crops.

HARRY F. LEWIS—Yes, I am off in the Sierra and shall be away four or five weeks. I want to be back here in time not to miss the good opportunities in sugar investments.

WM. BUSH—The poles on the mauka side of Kalakaua avenue between the Queen's place and Kapiolani Park, should come down. All poles should be on the mauka side of the avenue there, giving a marine view unobstructed by prosaic commercialism.

## WEEK MAKES POOR SHOWING

### Decline of a Hundred Thousand in Stock and Bond Transactions

Transactions of the Honolulu Stock and Bond Exchange for the week ended at noon today amounted to \$68,644.50, against \$256,853.50 for the week ended at noon of last Saturday, or a decrease of \$188,209. The partial collapse of the market indicated by these figures began on Saturday last, the transactions for that day having been \$25,907.50. Those for today are \$30,562.50, but at that it is about the best day's business this week. An improvement set in two days ago, which gives some promise of keeping up.

Oahu, between yesterday and today's session, held its own at 27.50 for 25 and 45 shares, but on the board declined a quarter point to 27.25 for 25, 10 and 15 shares. The price last Saturday was 27. Hutchinson maintains the price of a week ago in a sale of 100 shares in recess at 21. Onomea is also unchanged from last Saturday in a sale of 15 shares at 55.50 reported. Pioneer shows a decline of a quarter point for the week, and compared with yesterday's quotation, in a sale of 10 shares at 34.25.

Bonds are again lively, sales being reported of \$5000 and \$6000 Oloa sixes at 97.50 and \$3000 Hilo Extension sixes at 94.75, neither of them changed.

## GOVERNOR WILL SUPPLY DR. CLARK WITH CREDENTIALS

At a meeting of the Territorial Board of Immigration held yesterday afternoon, arrangements were made to facilitate the work of Commissioner Dr. Victor Clark in investigating the question of bringing immigrants to Hawaii from the southern provinces of Russia proper.

Following the decision of the board some days ago to continue the investigation as to the desirability of Russian immigrants for Hawaii, Dr. Clark was ordered to proceed from Manchuria to St. Petersburg and thence into those provinces where it was thought a class of desirable immigrants might be secured.

At the meeting yesterday Secretary Kearns was authorized to secure from the Governor and forward to Dr. Clark a letter setting forth his official status and which would serve for introduction and identification. This letter will be forwarded to Dr. Clark on Wednesday, together with suggestions as to the lines upon which his investigation should be conducted.

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# FOR RENT FURNISHED

Tantalus	40.00
Kalakaua Avenue	32.50
Pacific Heights	100.00
Beretania Street	75.00
College Hills	75.00
Wahiawa	30.00, 25.00
Corner Hackfeld and Lunalilo Streets	125.00
Kaimuki	16.50, 32.50, 40.00, 55.00
Thurston Avenue	60.00
Nuuanu Street	80.00
Alawa Heights	35.00

## UNFURNISHED

Kaimuki	30.00, 32.50, 37.50
Wilder Avenue	50.00, 50.00
Matlock Avenue	27.00
Kalihi	18.00, 25.00, 35.00
King Street	30.00, 32.50, 40.00
Pawaa Lane	18.00
Magazine Street	50.00
Young Street	30.00, 30.00, 30.00

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## COTTON TREES INTEREST WILSON

### Secretary of Agriculture Asks Governor to Preserve Rare Species

That the Secretary of Agriculture has been convinced of the possible great value of the native "cotton tree" here as a cotton bearing plant is indicated by a letter from that official to Governor Freat, in which the Secretary advises that all such trees be fenced in and preserved for further experimentation and tests.

He is inclined to believe that the species found in the Territory, and which, by the way, is found nowhere else in the world, may prove a valuable product when crossed with certain other species.

Superintendent Ralph S. Hooper, of the government forestry nursery and J. E. C. Rock, botanist of the College of Hawaii, have been making a study of the local cotton tree and on their advice some of the tracts of the species already have been reserved and fenced.

In fact, experiments with the plant have been in progress for a considerable length of time. Specimens have been found on almost every island of the group, though the largest growth is located near North Kona, on Hawaii, on land owned by the government and by the Ishop Estate.

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## PANAMA CANAL TROUBLE SEEN

WASHINGTON, July 13. — The Hague tribunal would be subjected to the most severe strain ever placed upon it, in the opinion of the officials here, should the settlement of the issue between America and Great Britain regarding the use of the Panama canal be referred to it. This strain would be felt in the important step of obtaining an impartial court arbitration. In this peculiar case the United States would stand almost alone against the nations of the world in its assertion of the right to discriminate in favor of American shipping. Every maritime power would profit by a decision in favor of Great Britain. Unless the parties to the arbitration would be satisfied with judges from countries absolutely without maritime interests, such as Switzerland, it would be practically impossible to obtain an impartial tribunal.

## NEW ALAKEA BAKERY

A German confectionery and fancy bakery has been started by Antoni Strange and brother at 1135 Alakea street. The motto of the new establishment is "clean and good," certainly pleasing in sound for a bakery. Supplies of fancy pastry, birthday fruit, cheese and German cake can be secured from this new bakery as well as ice cream and sherbert. And perhaps most important of all to German palates—Baumkuchen.

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## How Is Business And Why

Building operations are considered a good index to business conditions. Building permits this month show a 21 per cent increase in value over the same month last year. Increasing demand for furnished and unfurnished houses.

## Houses for Rent Furnished

Keeaumoku Street	2 Bedrooms	\$60.00
Waikiki	2 "	35.00
Pacific Heights (partly furnished)	2 "	20.00
Central Avenue, Palolo (partly furnished)	2 "	30.00
Mountain House, Palolo (for 3 months)		30.00

## Unfurnished

1915 Kalakaua Avenue	3 Bedrooms	\$35.00
Lunalilo Street	3 "	35.00
Matlock Avenue	3 "	27.50
Piikoi Street	3 "	30.00
Lunalilo Street	3 "	30.00
Beretania Street	3 "	25.00
Waikiki (August 1)	2 "	12.50
Manoa	4 "	40.00
Nonpareil	2 "	22.00
1546 Thurston Avenue	5 "	60.00
Makiki Street	2 "	40.00
Kalihi Road and Beckley Street	3 "	35.00

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